KDE Civics Symposium Rubric Podcast

	Superior	Excellent	Good	Fair
Problem in local,	☐ A problem is clearly	☐ A problem is clearly	☐ A problem is	☐ A problem is not
regional or global	identified and	identified and	identified.	clearly identified.
community Research	thoroughly explained. A wide variety of	explained. A variety of credible	□ Some primary and	☐ Limited sources are
Research	 ☐ A wide variety of credible primary and 	☐ A variety of credible primary and	☐ Some primary and secondary sources	Limited sources are utilized to present
	secondary sources are	secondary sources	are utilized to	and solve the
	utilized to effectively	are utilized to	present and solve	problem.
	present and solve the	present and solve	the problem.	problem.
	problem.	the problem.	life problem.	
Idea development	Ideas are developed with depth and complexity to provide insight, support, and clarification of the topic through the use of appropriate and effective examples, details, facts, explanations, descriptions or arguments.	□ Ideas are developed with some depth and complexity to provide insight, support, and clarification of the topic through the use of appropriate and effective examples, details, facts, explanations, descriptions or	□ Ideas are developed to provide insight, support, and clarification of the topic through the use of some appropriate and effective examples, details, facts, explanations, descriptions or arguments.	□ Lacks ideas to provide insight, support, and clarification of the topic through the use of appropriate and effective examples, details, facts, explanations, descriptions or arguments.
Multiple perspectives	 Multiple perspectives are presented and considered thoughtfully throughout to determine that the problem needs to be solved. 	arguments. Some perspectives are presented to identify why the problem needs to be solved.	☐ Few perspectives are presented to identify why the problem needs to be solved.	 Only one perspective is presented to identify why the problem needs to be solved.
Action plan	 □ An action plan is presented that fully addresses the problem. □ Solutions provided are creative, realistic and reasonable. 	 □ An action plan is presented that addresses most aspects of the problem. □ Solutions provided are realistic and reasonable. 	 □ An action plan is presented that addresses some or few aspects of the problem. □ Solutions provided are mostly realistic and reasonable. 	 □ An action plan is not presented or does not address the problem. □ Solutions provided are unrealistic or unreasonable.

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Student ownership	 □ Students use their own ideas, purposes, approach, experience, learning, inquiry, organization, and take true ownership of the product. □ Students' ideas are original, creative, persuasive, and thought-provoking. 	 □ Students mostly use their own ideas, purposes, approach, experience, learning, inquiry, organization, and take true ownership of the product. □ Students' ideas are original and show some creativity and persuasion. 	□ Students sometimes use their own ideas, purposes, approach, experience, learning, inquiry, organization, and take true ownership of the product. □ Students' ideas mostly reflect research but show some creativity and persuasion.	□ Students do not use their own ideas, purposes, approach, experience, learning, inquiry, organization, and do not take true ownership of the product. □ Students' ideas mostly reflect research.
Kentucky Academic Standards (KAS) for Social Studies mastery	☐ Mastery of the inquiry practices and the disciplinary strand standards of the KAS for Social Studies is clearly demonstrated throughout.	☐ Mastery of the inquiry practices and the disciplinary strand standards of the KAS for Social Studies is clearly demonstrated.	□ Some mastery of the inquiry practices and the disciplinary strand standards of the KAS for Social Studies is demonstrated.	Little to no mastery of the inquiry practices and the disciplinary strand standards of the KAS for Social Studies is demonstrated.
Podcast	 □ Students speak audibly in very clear and concise language, using inflection and appropriate tone to effectively convey emotion. □ An explanatory or argumentative purpose is strong, clear and consistently applied throughout. 	 □ Students speak audibly in clear and concise language, using some inflection and appropriate tone to convey emotion. □ An explanatory or argumentative purpose is clear and consistently applied throughout. 	□ Student's speech is mostly audible. Language may not always be clear and concise, with limited use of inflection or appropriate tone. □ An explanatory or argumentative purpose is mostly applied throughout.	□ Student's speech is mostly inaudible. Language is not clear and concise, with very limited use of inflection or appropriate tone. □ An explanatory or argumentative purpose is not applied throughout.